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Sir:

This responds to the Office communication mailed July 21, 2008 in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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